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NOTES IN SEASON.

DAVID MCKAY, Philadelphia, has just issued "Good-bye, My Fancy," Walt Whitman's second annex to "Leaves of Grass," which he has himself declared will be his last word to his readers.

D. APPLETON & Co. have just ready "A Puritan Pagan," a story of man's sin and repentance,

by Julien Gordon, and "One Woman's Way," a novel of American life opening at Fortress Monroe, by Edmund Pendleton; also the volume of Spencer's essays referred to in our last issue.

CHARLES COLLINS has just published a fourth revised edition, by Prof. Sheldon, of Olmsted's "Natural Philosophy;" also Sheldon's "Electricity," being chapters on electricity prepared for and included in the preceding book, but published separately for the use of students in college.

LONGMANS, GREEN & Co. have just ready "Floral Decorations" and "Drinks à la Mode," by Mrs. de Salis, whose books on the æsthetic aspects of feeding are always of value; and "Cookery for the Diabetic," by W. H. and Mrs. Poole, with a preface by Dr. Pavy. "With Sack and Stock in Alaska," by George Broke, will interest all who enjoy records of travel in out-of-the-way lands; "Sixty-three Years' Angling," by John Mac Vine, contains something new for the oldest fisherman; and "Save Me From My Friends," by E. F. Knight, is a very odd and clever book.

CHARLES SCRIBNER'S SONS will publish immediately "The Business of Life," by the literary optimist to whom we are indebted for "How to Be Happy Though Married," and the new book is said to be as witty and wise as its predecessors. Early in September the Scribners will publish "The Boy Settlers," a spirited story of early times in Kansas, by Noah Brooks, with illustrations by W. L. Rogers; "A New Mexico David and Other Stories," by Charles F. Lummis, dealing with the Southwest and containing also a re-issue of Mr. Brooks' "The Boy Emigrants;" and a new volume by Mrs. Henrietta Christian Wright of "Children's Stories in English Literature," taking the reader from Shakespeare to Tennyson.

G. P. PUTNAM'S SONS have just ready the third part of the "Talleyrand Memoirs," which have caused so much political and literary discussion. This instalment continues the report of the Congress of Vienna in 1815, the Second Restoration and the Revolution of 1830. It contains three portraits of Talleyrand, one after F. Gerard, one from a bust by Michelet and one from an engraving by Napier. They have also ready "The Leaf Collector's Hand-Book," by Charles P. Newhall, which is intended as an aid for students in classifying the leaves described in the author's former volume on "The Trees of Northeastern America," published last fall. A third volume on "The Shrubs of Northeastern America" is in preparation.

MACMILLAN & Co. call attention to the new work of Louis Dyer, late Assistant Professor in Harvard University, entitled "Studies of the Gods in Greece." Prof. Dyer explains the development of the cults of Demeter, of Dionysius, of Æsculapius, of Aphrodite and of Apollo. The gods are treated with the reverence that is due to them, and the fact is emphasized that there is much in Christianity that is of Greek rather than Jewish quality. As ready shortly are announced "Life's Handicap," by Rudyard Kipling; "The Witch of Prague," by F. Marion Crawford; "The Story of the Filibusters," a new volume in the *Adventure Series*, by James Jeffrey Roche; and "Saints and Sinners," by Henry Arthur Jones, a new and original drama of modern English middle-class life in five acts.

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Atherton, Mrs. Gertrude Franklin, ["Frank Lin," pseud.] A question of time. [Also] Mrs. Pendleton's four-in-hand. N. Y., J. W. Lovell Co., [United States Book Co., 1891.] c. 250 p. D. cl., \$1.

The quiet little village of Danforth, on Long Island Sound, is the scene of the little drama which is enacted within a short space of time. Boradil Trevor is a widow of forty-six, beautiful, a fine painter, a good musician, etc., when she meets Mark Saltonstall, an ambitious genius of twenty-two. They prove affinities at once. The author of "Hermia Suydam" uses this situation to word her sometimes startling theories on nature as opposed to conventionality. Mrs. Pendleton's four-in-hand are not prancing steeds, but four lovers, all intimate friends, who propose to the young widow by letter on the same morning.

Behrens, Bertha, ["W. Heimbürg," pseud.] Misjudged; tr. [from the German] by Mrs. J. W. Davis. N. Y., Worthington Co., 1891. c. tr. 362 p. il. D. (International lib., no. 20.) hf. roxb., \$1.25; pap., 75 c.

This story has already been on record under the title "An insignificant woman." See notice, P. W., "Weekly Record," July 25, [1017.]

***Booksellers', stationers' and printers' reference-directory** (formerly Farley's.) 11th ed., 1890-91; rev., rearranged and enl. N. Y., Industrial Information Co., 88 Centre st., 1891. 8°, cl., \$15.

Bryson, Mrs. Mary F. John Kenneth Mackenzie, medical missionary to China. N. Y. and Chic., Fleming H. Revell Co., 1891. 13+404 p. por. D. cl., \$1.50.

Mrs. Bryson worked with Dr. Mackenzie during his labors in China. Her biography gives many facts relating to Chinese customs and manners while relating the story of a singularly beautiful life. An appendix gives a description of the first Chinese hospital at Tientsin, a medical review of Dr. Mackenzie's work, by F. C. Roberts, and two of Dr. Mackenzie's contributions to the *China Medical Missionary Journal*, entitled "The Evangelistic Side of a Medical Mission" and "The Double Cure."

Buckbee, Sarah E. A primary word book: embracing thorough drills in articulation and in all the difficulties of spelling and sound to be met with in primary reading. Bost., D. C. Heath & Co., 1891. c. 4+ 186 p. S. bds., 30 c.

Callaway, Frances Bennett. Musical postal cards. Buffalo, N. Y., P: Paul & Bro., 1891. c. unp. sq. S. pap., 40 c.

The musical postal card is intended to save tired people from writing letters and yet to bring some message of kindly feeling or courtesy to a waiting friend. Certain musical notations stand for sentences in general use in short friendly communications.

Carey, Rosa Nouchette. Mary St. John: a novel. N. Y., G: Munro, [United States Book Co., 1891.] 407 p. S. (Seaside lib., no. 1879.) pap., 30 c.

Conway, Moncure D. Prisons of air. N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [United States Book Co.,

1891.] c. 3-270 p. D. (Lovell's American authors ser., no. 35.) pap., 50 c.

Although the action takes place in the nineteenth century, the incident upon which the novel is based happened in 1564. Edmund Redleigh thoughtlessly offended a gypsy who pronounced upon him a weird curse, which she declared should be the heritage of every succeeding generation. The story opens in Virginia in 1862, deals with the last scion of the Redleighs who suffered from the baleful curse, and tells how the bonds of an ancient superstition were dispelled. Incidental mention is made of the civil war and some of the conditions that followed it.

Cook, W: W. The corporation problem: the public phases of corporations, their uses, abuses, benefits, dangers, wealth and power; with a discussion of the social, industrial, economic and political questions to which they have given rise. N. Y., G: P. Putnam's Sons, 1891. c. 5+262 p. D. cl., \$1.50.

The author, in the course of the preparation of a treatise on corporation law, became familiar with many facts and principles relative to corporations which, however, did not come within the scope of a work on law. The law of corporations is a subject distinct from that of the public phases and business methods of corporations. Accordingly the author separated the two, and having completed a treatise on the former, he now presents a book on the latter. The many questions—social, political, industrial and economic—that have arisen in connection with corporations constitute together what is known as "the corporation problem."

Crane, Mrs. L. H. The startled sewing society. N. Y. and Chic., Fleming H. Revell Co., 1891. c. 25 p. D. pap., 25 c.

Briefly describes a dream which comes to a young girl, and which leads her to use the money promised her for a handsome bracelet to send a little crippled boy to the country.

Delpit, Albert. Her sister's rival; from the French by Alexina Loranger. Chic., Laird & Lee, 1891. c. tr. 321 p. il. D. (Library of choice fiction, no. 25.) pap., 50 c.

The same story as "His two loves," published by the Price-McGill Pub. Co. See notice, "Weekly Record," P. W., June 13, '91, [1011.]

***Drummond, H:** Addresses. Phil., H: Altemus, 1891. 286 p. 12°, cl., 75 c.; vellum, \$1.25.

Durand, André Michel. Cosia et le royaume du Dahomey. N. Y., W: R. Jenkins, 1891. c. 165 p. D. (Romans choisis, no. 18.) pap., 60 c.

A Florentine legend of the time of Michael Angelo.

***Fergusson, Ja.** A history of Indian and Eastern architecture. New ed. N. Y., Dodd, Mead & Co., 1891. 2 v., il. 8°, hf. roan, \$10.

***Fergusson, Ja.** A history of the modern styles of architecture. New ed., rev and enl., with new il.; with a special account of architecture in America by Robert Kerr. N. Y., Dodd, Mead & Co., 1891. 2 v., il. 8°, hf. roan, \$10.

* In this list, the titles generally are verbatim transcriptions (according to the rule of the American Library Association) from books received. Books not received are indicated by a prefixed asterisk and this office cannot be held responsible for the correctness of their record.

Fischer, A. Albin. Goethe's leben u. werke nebst kürzeren biographien von Lessing; Herder u. Schiller: Lesebuch für vorgerückte schüler. Phil., Fischer's School of Languages, 1305 Arch st., 1891. c. 91 p. S. pap., 45 c.

Goethe's life and works, with shorter biographies of Lessing, Herder and Schiller. A reading-book for advanced scholars.

Fischer, A. Albin. Practical lessons in German. Phil., Fischer's School of Languages, 1305 Arch st., 1891. c. 79 p. S. cl., 60 c.; pap., 40 c.

This course is designed essentially for oral instruction. It is based upon the natural method and is progressive. Its aim is to furnish the teacher with a guide and the pupil with the right sort of an implement to work with and the right kind of material to work upon after the teacher's work has, in the main, already been done.

Flaubert, Gustave. Salammbô; Englished [sic.] by M. French Sheldon; tr. authorized by the heirs of Gustave Flaubert. N. Y., United States Book Co., [1891.] c. tr.'85. 421 p. D. (Lovell's lit. ser., no. 150.) pap., 50 c.

Frémont, Mrs. Jessie Benton. The will and the way stories. Bost., D. Lothrop Co., [1891.] c. 182 p. por. D. cl., \$1.

The personal element that is so marked a feature in all Mrs. Frémont's stories is peculiarly present in this latest collection and gives to them a charm and vitality at once fascinating and unique. There are nine in all and introduce the reader to steamboat life on the Mississippi, to the famous Kit Carson and his men, to old days on the Isthmus, to quiet country life, to Southern homes, to incidents in Jamaica and to certain records of effort that give the fitting name to the volume—the will and the way.

Gibbins, H. de B. The history of commerce in Europe. N. Y., Macmillan & Co., 1891. 8+233 p. maps, 16°, cl., 90 c.

Gilman, Wenona (pseud.). Oni; or, averted vengeance. N. Y., G. Munro, [United States Book Co., 1891.] 206 p. S. (Seaside lib., no. 1794.) pap., 20 c.

Goncourt, E. and J. de. Germinie Lacerteux. N. Y., Street & Smith, 1891. 317 p. D. (The primrose ser., no. 25.) pap., 50 c.

See notice, "Weekly Record," P. W., Feb. 21, '91, [995.]

Gordon, A. J., D.D. Ecce venit. Behold he cometh. *Cheaper ed.* N. Y. and Chic., Fleming H. Revell Co., 1891. 320 p. 12°, pap., net, 50 c.

Gordon, Julien, [pseud.] for Mrs. Van Rensselaer Cruger. A Puritan pagan: a novel. N. Y., Appleton, 1891. c. 367 p. D. cl., \$1.

A dual nature half pagan, half Puritan, is admirably illustrated in the person of young Norwood, a clever patent lawyer of New York City. A sin against his wife, which he falls into through his pagan thirst for pleasure, is repented in sackcloth and ashes, his morbid Puritan conscience leading him to confess to his wife the wrong he has done her. She is young and lovely, with little knowledge of the world and bitter and unforgiving. The confession disgusts her and she leaves her husband, flying to the protection of a rich and fashionable aunt, who gives her her first glimpses of society. How this pair work out the problem of their separate lives is the story. The analysis of character is remarkably well done, and the scenes from fashionable and diplomatic life in Washington, Newport and Paris vividly real.

Keats, J. Letters of John Keats to his family and friends; ed. by Sidney Colvin. N. Y., Macmillan & Co., 1891. 19+377 p. 16°, cl., \$1.50.

Kinglake, A. W. Eothen. N. Y., G. P. Putnam's Sons, [1891.] 14+385 p. T. (Knickerbocker nuggets, no. 33.) hf. cl., \$1.

Lefroy, W., D.D. The Christian ministry; its origin, constitution, nature and work; a contribution to pastoral theology. N. Y., Funk & Wagnalls, 1891. 16+566 p. O. (The Donnellan lectures, 1887-8.) cl., \$3.

Lectures delivered for the most part before the University of Dublin, where the Dean of Norwich occupied the Donnellan Lectureship. They define the Church of Christ as supernatural in its origin, and deal with the nature, constitution and work of the Christian ministry as an organization; of the Divine Master, asserting that the Apostles had a vivid consciousness of such organization, and contending that the churches of the Apostolic Age were by no means structureless, but vital organisms, in which bishops, presbyters, deacons exercised their several clearly defined functions. The constitution of the ministry, itinerant and local, is elaborated with considerable detail. In the treatment of the moral sphere of ministerial work the grand scheme of redemption is held up as the essential corrective of sin and death, and the power of the Gospel to raise man from his fallen condition is emphatically asserted.

***Lightfoot, Jos. Barker.** On a fresh revision of the English New Testament; reprinted with an additional appendix on the last petition of the Lord's Prayer. N. Y., Macmillan & Co., 1891. 26+342 p. 12°, cl., \$2.

***McNeill, Rev. J.** Sermons. V. 3. N. Y. and Chic., Fleming H. Revell Co., 1891. 408 p. 12°, cl., \$1.50.

Malot, Hector. Sans famille; abrégé pour servir dans les classes de Français par Paul Bercy. N. Y., W. R. Jenkins, 1891. c. 432 p. D. (Romans choisis, no. 17.) pap., 60 c.

***Marshall, Alfred.** Principles of economics. V. 1, 2d ed. N. Y., Macmillan & Co., 1891. 30+770 p. 8°, cl., \$3.

Maupassant, Guy de. Contes et nouvelles; avec une étude sur l'auteur par Adolphe Brisson. N. Y., W. R. Jenkins, 1891. 93 p. S. (Contes choisis, no. 16.) pap.; 25 c.

***Minnesota. Supreme ct. Reports.** V. 45, Nov., 1890-April, 1891. G: B. Young, rep. St. Paul, West Pub. Co., 1891. c. 17+589 p. O. shp., \$2.75.

Morris, Gouverneur. The history of a volunteer regiment: a succinct account of the organization, services and adventures of the Sixth Regiment New York Volunteer Infantry, known as Wilson's Zouaves; il. by Ja. E. Taylor. N. Y., Veteran Volunteer Pub. Co., 124 Pearl st., 1891. c. 7-160 p. por. maps, O. cl., \$2.

Tells where the Zouaves went, what they did and what they saw in the War of the Rebellion, 1861 to 1865. Prepared from official data.

Nevins, Alex. G. The blue pencil and how to avoid it. N. Y., Allan Forman, 117 Nassau st., [1891.] c. 2-32 p. T. pap., 10 c.

A series of simple rules for making and editing newspaper "copy." The little manual was written some years ago for the guidance of the copy-readers, reporters and correspondents of a newspaper in the office in which the writer was employed. Mr. Forman is now editor of *The Journalist*.

Newhall, C. S. The leaf-collector's handbook and herbarium: an aid in the preservation and in the classification of specimen leaves of the trees of Northeastern America. N. Y., G. P. Putnam's Sons, 1891. c. 15+216 p. il. O. cl., \$2.

Last year the author published "The Trees of Northeastern America." This handbook contains diagrams of all the different leaves mentioned in that volume, with directions how to find the names of specimens, how to mount them, how to preserve them, etc. There is a complete index of trees. A supply of gummed paper for mounting is also furnished in the volume. The author has described and pictured the leaves of all the native trees and the most important naturalized trees of Northeastern America.

***New York** state reporter: cont. all the current decisions of the courts of record of N. Y. state, [etc.] Ed. by W. S. Gibbons. V. 35, with index and table of cases. Alb., W. C. Little & Co., 1891. c. 14+33+1076 p. O. shp., \$3.50.

Parkhurst, C. H., D.D. Three gates on a side, and other sermons. N. Y. and Chic., Fleming H. Revell Co., [1891]. c. 271 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

The pastor of the Presbyterian church known as the Madison Square Church, New York City, always draws intensely practical lessons from his texts. Eighteen sermons are given in this volume.

Pennell, Jos., and Mrs. Elizabeth Robins. The stream of pleasure: a narrative of a journey on the Thames from Oxford to London; with a practical chapter by J. G. Legge. N. Y., Macmillan & Co., 1891. c. 159 p. il. O. cl., \$2.25.

Mr. and Mrs. Pennell, of bicycle fame, made a new experiment during August of last year. Hiring a boat at Oxford they spent a month on the Thames River, rowing and sketching by day, and either camping by night or seeking shelter in one of the many small inns which are to be found on the river bank between Oxford and London. The incidents of the tour, charmingly described and illustrated, make a lovely book. The practical chapter gives information about boats, camping, etc., and describes a couple of short excursions that may be made in a day.

Porter, Rose. Saint Martin's summer; or, the romance of the cliff. N. Y. and Chic., Fleming H. Revell Co., [1891.] c. 2-263 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

The story takes place in an old mansion in the county of Cornwall, England, owned for many years by the Boscawens. Margaret Boscawen is educated there as the heir, although there is always a possibility of a descendant of an uncle, long considered dead, turning up to dispute her position. A grandson of this uncle does finally come to light, and he and Paul Maxwell, the son of the curate and Margaret's playfellow in her youth, both enter into a contest for her hand. The development through suffering of Margaret's character is the aim of the writer.

Pryce, R. Just impediment. Phil., J. B. Lippincott Co., 1891. 283 p. D. (Lippincott's ser. of select novels, no. 124.) cl., 75 c.; pap., 50 c.

The "just impediment" to a marriage between Lord Rutherford and the beautiful Miss Wilton is hereditary insanity. Lord Rutherford first meets the girl wandering about the streets of London at midnight. She has escaped her nurse in one of her periodical attacks. Afterwards he is introduced to her at a fashionable ball, and finds she has no remembrance of the first episode. Her mother attempts to hide her disease, but her nurse, a strange character who falls in love with Lord Rutherford herself, finally reveals the truth. There are some striking scenes from the life of the *demi-monde*.

Richardson, C. F. The choice of books. N. Y., United States Book Co., [1891.] 3-208 p. D. cl., \$1.

The author's work on "American Literature" is a guarantee that any advice on the choice of reading will be instructive. He deals here with the motive of reading, the reading habit, what books to read, the best time to read, how much to read, remembering what one reads, the use of note-books, the cultivation of taste, poetry, the art of skipping, the use of translations, how to read periodicals, reading aloud and reading-clubs, what books to own, the use of public libraries and the true service of reading. A list of authors cited is given. Good, full index. An amplification of the author's book published by the American Book Exchange, see P. W., "Weekly Record," F. 5, 1881, [473.]

Salem past and present. Salem, Mass., Almy, Bigelow & Washburn, [1891.] c. unsp. il. obl. T. pap., ribbon tied, 75 c.

A series of twenty plates showing the most notable sights of Salem. Two pages of text give short numbered descriptions of the pictures. The business house of the publishers forms the last plate.

Sargant, E. B., and Whishaw, Bernhard, eds.

A guide to books. N. Y., Macmillan & Co., 1891. 16+344 p. O. cl., \$1.50.

A subject catalogue of books in the English, foreign and Oriental languages. Priced in English money, with publishers. A list of names, including specialists in many departments who aided in the selection of the books, is quoted in the beginning, and seem to guarantee the reliability of the information offered. "The object of this little work is," say the editors, "to place at the service of the reader the opinions of those who may be trusted to give sound advice as to the books which are of value in each department of knowledge. It is not always possible even for specialists to name the best works, but they can at least give an assurance that books which they recommend are thoroughly good. . . . Many works which are valuable in themselves or historically interesting will not be found in these pages. The idea in which the book has originated is precisely opposed to an enumeration of the whole literature upon any subject. Its aim is to select as carefully as possible what is essential and to omit all the remainder."

Savage, R. H. My official wife: a novel. N. Y., The Home Publishing Co., 1891. c. 231 p. D. cl., \$1; pap., 50 c.

"A narrative of wonderful adventures befalling an American Colonel in Holy Russia, and forced upon him by the combined influence of his native chivalry and the fascinations of a bewitching 'Unknown,' who turns out to be a very dangerous person indeed, and who nearly succeeds in sending the gallant Colonel to Siberia or a worse place. One of the characters introduced is the dreaded chief of the Third Section, and he has much to do with the outcome of the escapade."—*New York Tribune*. As this novel is copyrighted in the name of Archibald Clavering Gunter, we judge "Col. R. H. Savage" is a pseudonym.

***Sherman, W.** Tecumseh. Life of General William Tecumseh Sherman. Phil., Hubbard Bros., 1891. 607 p. 12°, cl., \$1.50.

Spencer, Herbert. Justice; being part IV. of "The principles of ethics." N. Y., Appleton, 1891. 7+291 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

Fearing ill-health would prevent him wholly carrying out his plan for his work on "The principles of ethics" (a part of the "Synthetic philosophy"), Mr. Spencer concluded to take up the part of the most importance—part 4, "The ethics of social life; justice." He says: "This work covers a field which, to a considerable extent, coincides with that covered by 'Social statics,' published in 1850, though the two differ alike in extent, in form and partially in their ideas. One difference is that what there was in my first book of supernaturalistic interpretation has disappeared, and the interpretation has become exclusively naturalistic—that is, evolutionary." Part 1 of this series, entitled "The data of ethics," was published some years ago.

Talleyrand-Perigord, C. M. de, (Prince.) Memoirs; ed. with preface and notes by the Duc de Broglie; tr. by Mrs. Angus Hall; with introd. by Whitelaw Reid. In 5 v. V. 3. N. Y., G. P. Putnam's Sons, 1891. c. tr. 9+324 p. fac-simile letters, por. O. cl., \$2.50.

Continuation of Part VIII., dealing with the Congress of Vienna, 1814-1815; Part IX., The Second Restoration and Talleyrand's reply to his accusers; Part X., The revolution of 1830; appendix containing a certain number of letters relating to the events of 1830 and 1831, not included in his memoirs, which possess historical and documentary interest. These letters are addressed chiefly to Madame Adelaide, sister of Louis Philippe, and Madame Vaudeмонт, a very old and intimate friend.

Tidball, J. C. Manual of heavy artillery service for the use of the army and militia of the United States. 4th ed. Wash., D. C., Ja. J. Chapman, 1891. c. '80. 10+516 p. 79 pl. S. leath., \$3.

Since the publication of the 2d ed. of this manual in 1888 important changes have been made in some of the gun-carriages, requiring corresponding changes in the drill. These have been introduced, together with some additional matter as proposed by Capt. S. M. Mills, 5th Artillery, Instructor U. S. Artillery School, Fort Monroe, Va.

Tinseau, Leon de. Jenny's ordeal; tr. [from the French] by Camden Curwen. N. Y.,

Worthington Co., 1891. c. tr. 286 p. il. D. (The rose lib., no. 8.) cl., \$1; pap., 50 c. Same book as "Sealed lips," (*Bouche close*,) noticed in "Weekly Record," P. W., June 13, '91, (1011.)

United States (official) hotel directory and railroad indicator: hotel red-book, 1891. N. Y., Hotel Red Book and Directory Co., Grand Union Hotel, [1891.] 828 p. O. cl., \$3.

Containing a complete and reliable list of hotels in the United States and Canada, including summer and winter resorts; also a list of hotels in London, Liverpool and Manchester. An important feature in connection with this directory is that it gives the names of railroads and water routes reaching or passing the town or city wherein the hotels are located, also the population, and whether a money order or telegraph office be located in the place, making it, as a book of reference, one of the most necessary, useful and convenient publications issued. For the use of hotel-men, guests, travellers, merchants, etc.

***Vermont. Supreme ct. Reports of cases.** By C. A. Prouty. V. 62, new ser., v. 2, [Oct., 1889, to Aug., 1890.] Rutland, The Tuttle Co., off. st. prs., 1890. c. 13+548 p. O. shp., \$4.

Vervius, Alfred de, [Comte.] Deux artistes en voyage; [also,] Le chant de Blondel; [also,] Les deux zéphyrs. N. Y., W. R. Jenkins, 1891. c. 105 p. S. (Contes choisis, no. 15.) pap., 25 c.

Webb, W. Seward. California and Alaska and over the Canadian Pacific Railway. *Popular ed.* N. Y., G. P. Putnam's Sons, 1891. c.'90. 12+268 p. il. O. cl., \$2.25. *Edition de luxe*, 190 p. il. 4°, full mor., \$25.00.

This trip was an unusual one. It was made in a private train which ran "special"—that is, independent of time-tables—from start to finish. Every luxury and convenience that money could command rendered the journey most delightful and successful. The party consisted of twelve persons, chiefly Mr. Webb's near family. The journey began in April of '89 and covered about three months. Fresh information concerning the countries visited and many entertaining personal adventures make up the contents of a handsome volume.

***Westermarch, E.** The history of human marriage. N. Y., Macmillan & Co., 1891. 19+644 p. 8° cl., \$4.

Whiting, C. E. The complete music reader for high and normal schools, academies and seminaries. Bost., D. C. Heath & Co., 1891. c. 224 p. O. bds., 90 c.

The first 48 pages are devoted to musical notation. A large variety of exercises and solfeggios are given for practice in connection with the rudimentary de-

partment, which is quite complete. The two, three- and four-part songs constitute a very important part of the book.

Whitman, Sidney. Imperial Germany: a critical study of fact and character. N. Y., J. W. Lovell Co., [United States Book Co.] 1891. 304 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

This book was issued in England in 1888 and has been honored with the approval of Count Moltke, Prince Bismarck, Prof. Blackie and Goldwin Smith. The author dwells only indirectly upon the material prospects of German life, but makes a careful study of the general character, ethical and aesthetical, of the great German people, based on observations made during a long residence among them. He considers the power of the Teutonic nation to-day one of the greatest safeguards of European peace. Separate chapters are given to the German character in politics, intellectual life, educational advantages, the Prussian monarchy, paternal government, Bismarck, the army, German aristocracy, German society, womankind and family life, commerce and manufacture and the German press. The book has been translated into French and German.

Whitman, Walt. Good-bye, my fancy: 2d annex to "Leaves of grass." Phil., D. McKay, 1891. c. 66 p. por. O. cl., \$1.

A collection of the contributions in prose and verse furnished to various magazines and periodicals during the last few years. The poet has decided he will write no more. In the preface Walt Whitman traces his present physical condition to his labors and emotions during the civil war, "those times of which, O far-off reader, this whole book is indeed finally but a reminiscent memorial from thence by me to you."

***Wildwood, Will, [pseud. for Fred. E. Pond.]** The sportsman's directory. Milwaukee, Wis., C. N. Caspar, 1891. 225 p. 12° cl., \$1.

"Containing a carefully classified descriptive record of the principal American manufacturers of and dealers in guns, ammunition, fishing-tackle and sporting goods, dog breeders, kennel clubs, state sportsmen's associations, fish commissioners, game wardens, racing and trotting associations, athletic and aquatic clubs, sporting journals, books and publishers, etc."

Woollen, Levin J., M.D. The mother's hand-book: a practical treatise on the management of children in health and disease; with an appendix cont. articles on diseases and accidents that may suddenly happen to grown persons. Richmond, Va., Everett Waddey Co., 1112 Main st., 1891. c. 419 p. O. cl., \$2.25; lib. shp., \$2.75.

The author has endeavored to make the book a useful guide, especially to those who live in the country or in small towns where medical advice cannot always be obtained when desired. While directions are given for the administration of medicines in simple cases and when emergencies require prompt action, it has been the aim of the writer to discourage the mother from assuming the functions of the physician and undertaking to treat, by means of drugs, diseases of a serious or complicated character.

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Dalziel, H. The St. Bernard stud-book and show record: containing the pedigrees (to the most remote known ancestors) of all St. Bernards that won a prize at any of the St. Bernards Clubs' shows, from their first, held Nov., 1882, and those of winners at all other principal shows held in the United Kingdom in 1890. Post 8°, 126 p., 3s. 6d. (Kennel pedigree books.)*L. U. Gill*

Liddon, H. P. Sermons on Old Testament subjects. Post 8°, 394 p., 5s.....*Longmans*

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BUSINESS NOTES.

NEW YORK CITY.—According to the New York *Times* of August 1, Deputy Sheriff McGinnis, July 31, received two attachments against the Alden Book Company, at 393 Pearl Street, one

for \$1858, in favor of Orrin Sherwin, and the other for \$1798, in favor of E. T. Sawyer.

NOTES ON CATALOGUES.

ULRICH HOEPLI, Milan, has just issued a neat antiquarian catalogue containing 1408 titles of bibliographical works. The catalogue is No. 72 of the series of "Cataloghi Hoepli"—Sezione antiquaria. (140 p. nar. 12°.)

C. N. CASPAR, 437 E. Water Street, Milwaukee, Wis., has issued an important catalogue of Americana, including U. S. Government publications, politics and statesmanship, etc. (No. 31, 64 p. nar. 12°.)

NOTES ON AUTHORS.

REMEYNI, the violinist, has written a book, which is to be published soon in London. The book is a study of Japanese art.

THE report received from England some weeks ago, announcing the death of Mr. T. A. Browne ("Rolf Boldrewood"), is now contradicted. Mr. Browne, as his admirers and friends will be pleased to hear, is alive and well, and continues to give evidence of his activity. Macmillan & Co. will shortly publish two more novels from his pen, under the titles of "Nevermore" and "A Sydney Side Saxon."

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In case of business changes, notification or card should be immediately sent to this office for entry under "Business Notes." New catalogues issued will also be mentioned when forwarded.

Publishers are requested to furnish title-page proofs and advance information of books forthcoming, both for entry in the lists and for descriptive mention. An early copy of each book published should be forwarded, as it is of the utmost importance that the entries of books be made as promptly and as perfectly as possible. In many cases booksellers depend on the WEEKLY solely for their information. The next important reason is that the Record of New Publications of THE PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY forms the basis of "The American Catalogue" and so the basis of all trade bibliography in the United States.

"Every man is a debtor to his profession, from the which, as men do of course seek to receive countenance and profit, so ought they of duty to endeavor themselves by way of amends to be a help thereunto."—LORD BACON.

THE PROFESSION OF BOOKSELLING. IV.

TRADE CATALOGUES, PAPERS, LITERARY JOURNALS, ETC., AND HOW TO USE THEM.—VII.

HAVING caught your hare, the next thing in order is to know how to cook it properly. In other words, having provided the material for a reference library, it may not be amiss now to give a few simple directions as to how to use it so as to evoke its most complete efficiency. For the bookseller who for the present must satisfy himself with the few most important and necessary bibliographical works, such as are published by the office of THE PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY, the following seems to us the most practical way of using the apparatus.

We will suppose that the bookseller's library consists of Roorbach and Kelley's catalogues, "The American Catalogue" and its supplements for 1876-1884 and 1884-1890, the "Annual Catalogue," 1886 to 1890, the "Publishers' Trade List Annual" and THE PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY. They might be kept on the shelves in the order named. Keep in the most convenient place the numbers of THE PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY for the current half year. For easy reference keep the first number of each month containing the index to the previous month's "Record of New Publications" in a separate pamphlet case.

Now, if you have a book to look up and have no idea of the date of its publication, run through the numbers of THE PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY for the current month, then take the monthly indexes back to January, then the "Annual Catalogue" back to January, 1890, where you meet the "American Catalogue" supplements, in which and the original volume the record is carried back to 1876 and made to include all American printed books which had not then gone out of print. The two volumes of Kelly's "American Catalogue" cover fairly well the ground back to 1860, from whence Roorbach's catalogue gives us a limping assistance back to 1820. Having Kelly and Roorbach on the shelves, one is thus able to run an American publication of the last seventy years to earth in nearly every case, and in an astonishingly short time. And wherever you find the title (if since 1876) you will find a number referring to the "full entry" in THE PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY, the set of which should also be within reach.

The bookseller who has a more extensive bibliographical reference library, or who is willing to take time and trouble in hunting up information for his customer, will find the following cues practical and timely. They are based on the excellent chapter, "Hints for finding the author, title, publisher, place of publication, date, edition, size or price of books," by C. N. Caspar, in his "Directory of the American Book and Stationery Trades," to which a number of additions and modifications have been made, bringing the information down to date. Mr. Caspar's Directory is especially to be recommended to the young bookseller for the large amount of practical matter which it contains.

In searching for the record of a book, consider first of all the nationality of the author, or in which country the book may have been published, and whether an original and better edition or a reprint and cheaper edition is wanted.

If the year of publication is unknown, always begin your research in a trade catalogue embracing the latest period, in order to find always the newest, last or revised edition of the book and the latest price of the publisher. A number of books some time after the publication, when the first demand for them is filled, or when a new edition is published, are reduced in price by the publishers; and it will be well, after the title of the book and publisher of the same is found in some trade catalogue, to refer to the *latest* list of the publisher.

Persons wishing to obtain a certain book very often give the title or date incorrectly, state a wrong place of publication or misspell the author's name. In such cases refer to similar titles and names, disregarding the date given.

If the book is supposed to be an American book and not readily found in the "American Catalogue" and its supplements, or Kelly's or Roorbach's catalogues, refer to Low's "English Catalogues," 1835 to 1890, always beginning with the volume embracing the latest period. If not to be found in these, turn to Lowndes' "Bibliographer's Manual," Trübner's "Bibliographical Guide," or Rich's "Bibliotheca Americana."

Should these researches all prove unsuccessful, the book is probably of a very recent date and may be found in the last "Annual Catalogue," or the monthly and weekly "Record of Books" of THE PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY. A list of new books appears also in the *American Bookseller*, which devotes particular attention to cheap "libraries" and popular literature.

If there is reason to believe that the book wanted is a recent British publication, turn to the last volume of Low's "English Catalogue," or to the latest monthly and weekly records of the *London Bookseller* and *London Publishers' Circular*.

If nothing is known about the book except the author's name and an indefinite indication of its contents, but no title, or perhaps an incorrect title, it will save time first of all to look up the author's identity as regards initials, nativity, period of life, literary fame, etc., and to trace the book accordingly.

The following works are valuable for this purpose: any standard encyclopædia; Allibone's "Critical Dictionary of English Literature and British and American Authors;" Phillips' "Dictionary of Biographical Reference," revised by Frank Weitenkampf; "Appletons' Cyclopædia of American Biography;" Adams' "Dictionary of English Literature," and the library catalogues mentioned in THE PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY June 20, 1891, page 864.

If merely the title is known, the following works and library catalogues will be found, in this as in many other respects, very serviceable: Adams' "Dictionary of English Literature," Wheeler's "Who Wrote It?," Brewer's "Readers' Handbook," and "Dictionary of Phrase and Fable;" "American Catalogue" and supplements; Leyboldt's "Digest of American Publications" contained in the "Publishers' Trade List Annual" for 1875; Low's indexes to the "English Catalogue;" Whitaker's "Reference Catalogue of Current Literature," 1874, '75, '77, '80, '85 and '89; weekly and monthly records of THE PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY and those of the *London Bookseller* and *Publishers' Circular*; the library catalogues of the Boston Athenæum, Brooklyn Library, Astor Library, Library Company of Philadelphia, Faculty of Advocates of Edinburgh, Apprentices' Library of New York, Indianapolis Public Library, Massachusetts State

Library, and of the Public Library of Milwaukee.* Also the class-lists of the Boston Public Library, and Mr. Spofford's index catalogue to the Library of Congress and the subsequent volumes of the new catalogue of the Library of Congress.

See also the catalogues of large dealers, arranged according to titles. Very often books can be traced by glancing over the subject entries of the "American Catalogue," Low's indexes, or the larger library catalogues.

If only the place of publication is known and nothing definitely in regard to author and title, address some dealer as named in Caspar's "Directory of the American Book and Stationery Trades," or in Geyer's Directory, residing in that place or State. The same may be done if the author and title are known but the publisher cannot be found, or the book is not obtainable through the ordinary channels of the trade.

For books issued by the U. S. Government refer to Poore's "Catalogue of Government Publications," the appendices in the "American Catalogue" supplements 1876-'84, 1884-'90 (the latter, 1884-'90, being issued in a separate pamphlet), and Hickcox's monthly catalogue of U. S. Government publications. If such books are ordered from the Public Printer at Washington, D. C., before printing, this officer is obliged by law to furnish copies of any books issued by the different departments to citizens of the United States at the cost of production. But the government publications may frequently be had for a short time after publication, at the same prices, from the Public Printer or the respective department. A list of dealers in such books is given in "Caspar's Directory."

For the publications of the various States refer to appendix of "American Catalogue" supplement 1884-'90 or address the Secretary of State or State Librarian at the different State capitals.

For books published by literary and other societies see Appendix to "American Catalogue," Supplement, 1884-90. Kelly's "American Catalogue" also contains separate lists of books published by "literary and learned societies" from 1861 to 1871.

Books published for private distribution are generally not catalogued in trade catalogues, but are sometimes found in the library catalogues; they are often procurable from the local booksellers where they have appeared.

To obtain books published in small towns by

* Mr. K. A. Linderfelt, Librarian of the Milwaukee Public Library, is preparing a general title-index of the narrative literature in the English language, comprising prose fiction, history, biography and travels, which, when out, will supply the answer to a large majority of questions regarding the authorship, publisher and price of such books of which only the title is known, besides furnishing a key to all short stories included under a general collective title.

persons outside of the regular publishing business, write to the local bookseller or to the editor or publisher of a newspaper, some law firm or the postmaster of the place.

For books known to be "out of print" and costly works desired second-hand at a reduced price, make inquiries of the dealers in antiquarian and second-hand books, lists of which may be found in Caspar's and Clegg's directories, or advertise, for American books, in *THE PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY*, the *American Bookseller*, or *Western Bookseller*; for British publications in the *London Bookseller* or the *Publishers' Circular*; for German books in the *Börsenblatt*; and for French books in the *Bibliographie de la France*. Always state the full title, imprint, etc., of the book wanted, as near as possible. Every bookseller should consider it his duty to read the advertisement column of "Books Wanted" in the above trade journals, and to offer such books to the advertisers as he may have on hand, not charging an exorbitant price for them. The advertiser frequently does not want such books badly enough to pay a high, or even a moderately high, price for them.

Copies of books which are reported "out of print" by the publisher are often obtainable from some jobber or larger retailer in some other city whose stock is not yet exhausted.

Publishers, especially in England, in many instances do not give the date or the edition of their books, and this can then only be found by referring to the records of *THE PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY*, the "Annual American Catalogue," or Low's annual "English Catalogues." "The American Catalogue," Kelly's and Roorbach's catalogues and Low's "English Catalogue" in many cases also report the date and the edition.

The prices of books are, as mentioned above, in many instances changed by the publisher some time after their publication, or when a new edition appears, and it is advisable to refer to the publisher's newest list before ordering. If a book is out of print it will generally be mentioned in such a list, if its title does not generally appear on the latest publisher's trade list.

Very recent or forthcoming books, not yet recorded in the catalogues or trade journals, should be looked up in the latest announcement of the publishers, generally to be found in the trade journals, particularly in the special-announcement numbers, or in the special lists and circulars issued by the publishers. All catalogues and trade-lists of importance daily received by booksellers should be preserved and filed for reference. A good apparatus for filing catalogues, circulars, quotations of prices, etc., is E. W. Woodruff's patent cases (Washington, D.

C.). These are practical and time-saving, especially if around the lists and circulars of each publisher a manilla paper cover is put, of the same size as the inside of the case and marked with the name of the respective publisher at the top of the front page of the cover. All these lists should be arranged in one alphabet, according to the names of the publishers.

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INTERNATIONAL COPYRIGHT.

ONLY BOOKS COME UNDER THE NEW COPYRIGHT LAW.

THE Secretary of the Treasury has sent out orders to seize for duties all printed matter not in book form. The department holds that printed matter outside of this form does not come within either the spirit or the meaning of the International Copyright law. This order will include music, pamphlets, photographs, designs, pictures and catalogues. It is said that under this order 3000 seizures a month will be made, and the average value of each seizure will be twenty-six cents.

A DOUBLE UNIVERSAL POSTAL CARD.

THE New York *Tribune* states that a new postal card is preparing. N. M. Brooks, Superintendent of Foreign Mails of the United States Post-Office Department, who was a delegate to the Universal Postal Convention, returned a few days ago from the meeting at Vienna. After a visit to Washington he called on Postmaster Van Cott. He said that among the important matters decided on was the preparing of a double universal postal card. It consists of two parts, one of which can be torn off by the receiver of the original card. The new cards will cost four cents each, and can be sent to any country in the Postal Union. The plan will go into effect about the first of July, 1892. The card is designed to make answers to the original cards easy. The Australian colonies, which have become members of the Postal Union, are almost the last of the civilized nations to join the union. Letters for those colonies will be sent under the union rules after October 1. Mr. Brooks thought that the work of the convention had been extremely useful.

THE R. S. PEALE COMPANY.

R. S. PEALE & Co. and the People's Publishing Company, both of Chicago, have consolidated their business interests and become the R. S. Peale Company. The officers of the new company are R. S. Peale, the head of the old firm that bore his name, President; H. L. Kochersperger, of the People's Publishing Co., Secretary; and Daniel H. Kochersperger, also of the People's Publishing Co., Treasurer. This combination is reported having a capital stock of \$1,000,000 and will probably be the largest subscription-book firm in the country. The business will be conducted at the quarters of the Peale Company and the offices of the People's Publishing Company will be closed.

BOOKSELLERS' ASSOCIATION OF VIRGINIA CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS.

WHEREAS, Organization, concert of action and comparison of ideas are necessary to advancement of any cause, and believing there is room for the elevation and extension of knowledge and general information among booksellers of this State, and that there exists a necessity for union of action for mutual protection and interest, and that such results can be best accomplished by a State organization ;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the booksellers of various parts of this State do hereby organize into a permanent association for the purpose of nurturing and protecting their mutual interest, and that they adopt the following Constitution and By-Laws :

CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE I.

This Association shall be called THE BOOKSELLERS' ASSOCIATION OF VIRGINIA.

ARTICLE II.

Objects.

The aims of this Association shall be to unite the booksellers of this State for mutual protection, assistance and encouragement ; to prevent unnecessary competition and establish uniform prices and discounts, and in harmony work for the general good, presenting an unbroken front to publishers and manufacturers, that we may aid each other in procuring goods upon most advantageous terms.

ARTICLE III.

Membership.

Any white person of good moral character residing and doing a regular book business in this State shall be eligible to membership.

ARTICLE IV.

Officers.

The officers of this Association shall be a President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer and Executive Committee of three ; in addition to which the President, Vice-President and Secretary and Treasurer shall be *ex-officio* members, all of whom shall be elected annually by ballot and shall hold office until the election of their successors.

ARTICLE V.

Duties of Officers.

The President, or in his absence the Vice-President, shall preside at all meetings of the Association ; call special meetings at the request of five members ; shall present at each annual meeting a report of the operations of the Association ; shall suggest such subjects as he may think worthy of consideration, and perform other such duties as pertain to his office. The Secretary and Treasurer shall keep a record of the proceedings of the Association. He shall keep a roll of members, with their residences. He shall receive and file all official communications. He shall receive and pay out on proper vouchers all moneys received by him as Treasurer, and make an annual report of same.

ARTICLE VI.

Executive Committee.

The Executive Committee, of which the President, Vice-President and Secretary and Treasurer shall be *ex-officio* members, shall investigate

applications for membership, prepare for publication any proceeding they may deem proper, examine Treasurer's accounts before each annual meeting, and have charge of all business not otherwise assigned. Three shall constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE VII.

Meetings.

The annual meeting of the Association shall be held during July of each year, subject to the call of the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE VIII.

Special Meetings.

Special meetings of the Association shall be called by the President upon written request of five members. The notice shall state objects of meeting.

ARTICLE IX.

By-Laws.

This Association may establish for its future government and regulation such By-Laws as do not conflict with this Constitution as may be deemed proper and advisable.

ARTICLE X.

Amending Constitution.

This Constitution shall not be amended except by a two-thirds vote of those present.

BY-LAWS.

ARTICLE I.

Quorum.

A majority of members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

ARTICLE II.

Membership.

The names of persons applying for membership shall be presented to the Executive Committee, and upon their favorable report the Secretary shall receive such names as members.

ARTICLE III.

Dues.

The dues shall be \$1.00 per annum, which shall be paid to the Treasurer within one month after the annual meeting. Each member shall sign Constitution and By-Laws.

ARTICLE IV.

Rules.

Ordinary parliamentary rules shall govern this Association.

ARTICLE V.

Membership.

Membership of this Association shall be by firm, but each individual member of a firm shall be eligible to membership. Said firm shall be entitled to but one vote.

OFFICERS :

President—T. S. Beckwith, Petersburg, Va.

Vice-President—J. H. Hume, Portsmouth, Va.

Secretary and Treasurer—H. M. Starke, Richmond, Va.

Executive Committee—Montgomery West, Jack English, W. L. Olivier.

PICK-UPS.

CONVINCING.—"I always felt sure Jones couldn't be much of an author, he was always so polite to me."—*Harper's Bazar*.

THE UNITED STATES EXCHANGING WAR DOCUMENTS WITH GERMANY.

WHEN Poultney Bigelow was visiting Berlin some months ago he found that the military archives of the General Staff were completely lacking in copies of the many and valuable publications which have been issued by the United States Department of War. He also learned that the Military Library at Washington was equally destitute of German war publications. Upon this information Minister Phelps set about introducing a system of interchange which would be valuable to the service in both countries. Secretary Proctor approved the idea and forwarded two large boxes of public documents on military subjects, which were acknowledged by General von Schlieffen, Chief of Staff. In his letter to Mr. Phelps after expressing his warm appreciation of the value of the gift, General von Schlieffen says: "I shall take the liberty to transmit at an early date to the War Department of the United States a series of military historical works published by the General Staff."

NEBRASKA FREE-SCHOOL-BOOK LAW.

THE Nebraska Free School-Book Law, which is about to go into effect, directs school boards to buy text books for their respective districts and loan them to pupils without charge, the act affecting all districts in Nebraska but that of Omaha.

A publisher who wishes to contract with school boards for supplying books must file with the Superintendent a bond of from \$2000 to \$20,000, and a sworn statement of the lowest prices at which he sells his books anywhere within the United States.

Thus far the following nine firms have filed their bonds and statements: American Book Company, New York; Ginn & Co. and D. C. Heath & Co., Boston; Taintor Brothers, New York; George Sherwood & Co., Chicago; Porter & Coates, Eldridge Brothers, J. B. Lippincott Company and Cowperthwait & Co., Philadelphia. The American Book Company includes Harper & Brothers, A. S. Barnes & Co., D. Appleton & Co., Ivison, Blakeman & Co., and a number of smaller concerns. The bonds of these nine firms range from \$2500 to \$10,000. The amount is fixed by the Superintendent, who grades it according to the relative amount of business the concern has been doing in Nebraska.

SCHOOL-BOOK RATES IN IOWA.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL J. H. Stone, of Iowa, has rendered an opinion that where county uniformity of school-books is adopted, books cannot be sold by the directors at wholesale rates to residents of independent districts within the county.

OBITUARY.

JESSIE FOTHERGILL.

JESSIE FOTHERGILL died in London on July 30. She was born in Manchester, England, in 1856. She was related to John Bright. At an early age she began writing stories of great average merit and since the early seventies has written a novel almost every year. The standard edition of her novels in this country was published by Henry Holt & Co. in the *Leisure Hour Series*.

"The First Violin," published in 1878, firmly established her reputation as a novelist of the first rank. Intensity and grace of touch marked all her work, and the leading characters she created were always true to standards of justice, purity and magnanimity. With the exception of "Charles Auchester," perhaps no musical novel has attracted the attention that has persistently followed "The First Violin." The titles of her works published in this country are as follows: "Healey," "First Violin," "For His Sake," "Kith and Kin," "Made or Marred," "One of Three," "Probation," "Wellfields," "Borderland," "From Moor Isles," "Lasses of Leverhouse," "March in the Ranks," and "Peril." In 1884 Miss Fothergill made a short visit to this country.

JOURNALISTIC NOTES.

IT is said on high authority that the Holy See will not give its consent to the projected American review which it was announced was soon to appear at Rome under the title of the *Roman Messenger*. The journal was to make a special feature of articles solely devoted to the religious questions in the United States. The promoters of the enterprise are undaunted, however, and continue their labors with every belief in their ultimate success.

BRIEF RULES FOR THE ORDER DEPARTMENT.

To the Editor of The Publishers' Weekly.

DEAR SIR: Having had much to do with that bane of the bookseller's existence, "the order clerk," and being requested as an expert to devise a few brief rules for their guidance, I take pleasure in sending you the same, with the hope that they may do some good, and eventually bring solace and comfort to the weary souls of all those who from dire necessity are compelled to daily and hourly wrestle with the order clerk. I am of the opinion that, strange as it may seem, much of the notorious profanity of the book trade is largely due to the "order" department. That other sinful iniquities do not follow is due mainly, I fancy, to the inherent fortitude under the most distressing circumstances that is one good feature of the bookseller's well-nigh ruined disposition. I know of no means of crushing the order clerk, for from his very nature you cannot down him any more than you can a cork in water, for he comes up every time smiling and serene, utterly indifferent to your tears and tribulation of spirit. He cannot be appealed to, for he has no feeling, but goes on in his own sweet joyful way, doing those things which he ought not to do and leaving undone those things which he ought to do. If ever there was work for the Salvation Army it is right here, but I fear the Army would not be "in it."

ONE OF THE WRESTLERS.

RULES.

Any order clerk doing intentionally telling the truth will be asphyxiated.

Any order clerk accidentally telling the truth will be spared till the next occasion, when the full penalty will be inflicted.

Any order clerk who knows anything about an order he ever received will be discharged.

Any order clerk who remembers anything five minutes after being told about it will be fined.

Any order clerk who does a thing before he has

been told to do it at least three times is worthy of damnation.

Any order clerk who can face an inquiry with a never-heard-of-it-before look, and persist in it in spite of convincing proof to the contrary, should see the office at once regarding an increase of salary.

Any order clerk who does a thing right when there is a ghost of a chance to do it wrong is a fit subject for torture.

Any order clerk who attends to his business more than is absolutely necessary, or gives himself any trouble in the matter, is not fit for the position.

An order clerk with absolute ignorance, carelessness and don't-care-a-damn disposition, with the most blasé indifference to taunts, jibes, pokings, prayers, pleadings and beseechings, is fit to become an angel and as such to be worshipped, for he is the prince of order clerks.

WHAT HUNGARIANS READ.

IN a long, narrow ground-floor room on Avenue C, in New York City, says a reporter of the *New York Sun*, is the only considerable Hungarian bookstore in this town. Here and in a small rear apartment are stored some thousands of imported books printed at Buda Pesth in the Hungarian and Slav languages and bound in paper, cloth and leather. Hungarian books of the cheaper sort are gorgeously gilded and tooled. One instinctively recognizes them as foreign even before he has noted the odd, unpronounceable titles. The paper-bound books are not quite so well made as the best cheap French books, but they somewhat suggest the familiar French novel. They are distinctly different in style from paper-bound books of American make.

There are in New York about 30,000 persons that have been Hungarian subjects. Of these, about 5000 are Magyars, or true Huns, 10,000 are Slavs, and 15,000 are Hebrews. All of the Magyars, many of the Slavs and some of the Hebrews speak the Hungarian language. Most of the Magyars and Slavs are peasants of little education and strong religious feeling. Owing to the strong religious feeling of the Hungarians there is a great demand for prayer-books and Bibles in the Hungarian and Slavonic tongues.

Next in demand to Bibles and prayer-books are short stories of heroes and fairies. They are the favorite reading-matter of the Hungarian peasantry, and immigrants bring this literary taste with them to the United States. The cheapest of these books cost but five cents. The adventures of Toldy Miklos, a famous Hungarian athlete, are told in one of these books. This story is in verse. One of the more expensive paper-bound books tells the adventures of Rinaldo Rinaldini, the notorious robber chief. The life of Columbus and the life of Kossuth have a good sale. Few American books are translated into Hungarian, but there are a life of George Washington and a history of the United States in the Hungarian tongue. Both of these books sell well.

The Magyars are the chief customers for books proper to literature, and there is considerable demand for the works of the best known Hungarian novelists.

The most popular form of verse is found in songs, and song-books have an excellent sale among the Hungarian residents of this town. There is a book of 1001 songs and another of

600 songs. Novels translated from the French and a few from the English also have a good sale. The Hungarians are not great readers at home, but on coming to America they catch the popular habit and take to newspapers and books.

EUGENE FIELD ON SOME LITERARY QUESTIONS.

From the Chicago Daily News.

"THE SCENTED GARDEN" was the title of a translation which the late Capt. Burton had made from the Arabic. Finding it in manuscript, Lady Burton burned it up rather than profit by its publication, and for this the lady is being complimented by many people who, we suspect, do not know what they are talking about. "The Perfumed Garden" has already been done into English. It belongs to that class of Oriental erotics of which the "Ananga-Ranga" is a notable example, and which has been published by the Kama Shastra Society, so called, of Benares (London?). These poems are curious and beautiful specimens, well worth the study of mature and scholarly men, and as Burton was unquestionably the most proficient translator of this time, we regard the destruction of his manuscript as a piece of wanton vandalism. All books are not for everybody; in literature there is a distinct aristocracy of intelligence. There are many people who should be prevented by law from reading the songs of Solomon. Literature is not so likely to be unfit for readers as readers are likely to be unfit for literature.

There is one great truth that seems not to have become deeply grounded as yet, and it is this: Woman is by nature wholly, irredeemably and irreparably disqualified for the offices of literary executor. A woman and a kitchen stove will do more damage in five minutes than a horde of hungry savages in five years.

LITERARY FRAUDS.

From the Nineteenth Century.

ABOUT thirty years since a well-known publisher bought a collection of letters alleged to be in the handwriting of Shelley, one of whose oldest surviving friends testified to a belief in their authenticity. They were ushered into the world by a preface from the pen of Robert Browning, but withdrawn a few days after publication upon the discovery that they were made up from articles by Sir Francis Palgrave in the *Quarterly Review*. A year or two later a volume of letters by Schiller was announced as forthcoming, a preliminary certificate of their genuineness having been obtained from his last surviving daughter. Before they left the press they were clearly shown to be spurious.

A notice of the impostures of M. Simonides, whose career has but recently terminated, will bring these examples of fraudulent apocrypha down to our own time. His chief successes are believed to have been gained in duping the authorities of great national libraries by the sale of sham antique manuscripts, but for obvious reasons the particulars of these cases have not been generally disclosed, and the statements on the subject which have appeared in the public journals must be accepted with some reserve. The eminent scholar Dindorf is said to have been one of his victims in Germany. It has been stated that the Trustees of the British Museum were

deceived into buying from him a false memorandum addressed by Belisarius to Justinian, but this statement has been since denied. That he sold to Ismail Pasha a forged manuscript of Aristotle, and to a wealthy English peer two spurious letters of Alcibiades to Pericles, for which he obtained high prices, is an assertion more credible, and as yet uncontradicted. His most remarkable failure seems to have been at Athens, where he tried to persuade a committee of twelve scholars that a manuscript of Homer, written on lotus-leaves, was a genuine codex of very early date. Eleven of the number are said to have been satisfied, "but the twelfth discovered that it was a faithful copy of the text of Homer as published by the German critic Wolff, and that the manuscript reproduced the whole of the printer's errors in that edition."

LITERARY AND TRADE NOTES.

MACMILLAN & Co. will publish shortly "Blanche, Lady Falaise," by John Shorthouse, author of "John Inglesant."

GINN & Co. will issue during August "The Story of Our Continent," a reading-book in the geography of North America, by Prof. N. S. Shaler, of Harvard University.

WE learn from Houghton, Mifflin & Co. that Mr. Hopkinson Smith's delightful story, "Colonel Carter of Cartersville," has reached the third edition. To give the binding a "local color," the book has been put in a kind of Confederate gray.

THE HUMBOLDT PUBLISHING Co. have just ready "Mental Suggestions," by Dr. J. Ochornicz, sometime Professor Extraordinarius of Psychology and Nature-Philosophy in the University of Lemberg. The important preface is the work of Charles Richet.

THE GLOBE PRINTING HOUSE, Phila., has just published a new volume of George O. Seilhamer's "History of the American Theatre," with the sub-title of "New Foundations," covering the period from 1792 to 1797. It is rich in details of a very interesting epoch in the history of the American stage and of the popular stars who illuminated it.

PORTER & COATES announce as ready this week several new volumes for boys by popular story-writers for the young. They are: "Marcy the Blockade Runner," by Harry Castlemon; "The Five Hundred Dollar Check," by Horatio Alger, Jr.; and "Through Forest and Fire," by Edward S. Ellis. They have other works in preparation for the autumn.

MACMILLAN & Co. are the American agents for the handsome six-volume edition of Landor's "Imaginary Conversations," published in London by J. M. Dent. The edition contains bibliographical and explanatory notes by Charles G. Crump, and is printed in large type on toned paper. The first volume, just ready, contains an etched frontispiece representing a bust of Alcibiades, and is neatly bound in half leather.

THE CENTURY Co. will publish George Kennan's "Siberia and the Exile System" this autumn. The book will appear simultaneously in England, France, Germany and Holland. Unauthorized editions have already been published in Russia, Poland, Hungary and Bulgaria, and

many of the magazine articles have been reprinted in Italian and Swedish. Five unauthorized German editions have been issued.

THE Grand Orange Lodge of British America has declared that the definition of "Orangeman" and "Orangeism" in "Chambers' Encyclopædia" and "The American Encyclopædia" is objectionable and the proprietors will be asked to publish the general declaration as set forth in the constitution. *The American Hebrew* has also taken Benjamin E. Smith, of the "Century Dictionary," to task for the definition of the word "Sheeny," which appears in that work.

HENRY CAREY BAIRD & Co. have just issued a complete treatise on "The Electro-Deposition of Metals," translated from the German of Dr. George Langbein, with additions by William T. Brann, editor of "The Techno Chemical Receipt-Book." The book comprises information on electro-plating and galvanoplastic operations, the deposition of metals by the contact and immersion processes, the coloring of metals, the methods of grinding and polishing, as well as descriptions of the electric elements, dynamo-electric machines, thermopiles, and of the materials and processes used in every department of the art.

THE UNITED STATES BOOK COMPANY have just ready "Imperial Germany," by Sidney Whitman, a critical study of fact and character dedicated to Prince Bismarck. The author has endeavored to present without bias, with its advantages and its drawbacks, the general character, ethical and æsthetic, of the great Teutonic nation, whose power in our day the author considers one of the safest guarantees of European peace. They have also just issued "A Question of Time," by Mrs. Gertrude Franklin Atherton, who introduces her heroine at the age of forty-six.

THE FLEMING H. REVELL COMPANY have ready the "Life of John Kenneth Mackenzie," medical missionary to China, written by Mrs. Bryson, who was an intimate friend of the doctor's from 1875 until his death in 1888 and worked with him in Central China and afterwards on the banks of the Pei-ho; and "Three Gates on a Side," a volume of sermons by Rev. C. H. Parkhurst, pastor of Madison Square Church, New York. They will issue immediately, by arrangement with the author, a revised edition of "The Life of Jesus Christ," by the Rev. James Stalker, D.D., who this year delivered the Lyman Beecher Lectures before the Yale Divinity School.

THE famous collection of letters, numbering in all 1743, written by Goethe to Frau von Stein will shortly come into the market, owing to a desire on the part of the present owner, who is Frau von Stein's grandson, to make capital out of his property. The letters, which are bound in seven volumes, have already appeared in print, but only in a severely edited form; so that the originals, which extend over a period of more than fifty years preceding Frau von Stein's death, contain much unpublished matter. The value set upon them by the owner is £7500, and it remains to be seen whether either the Royal Library at Berlin, which is desirous of obtaining them, or the Grand Duchess of Saxe-Weimar, who would like to see them in the Goethe collection at Weimar, will care to give this modest amount, or whether the collection will be secured by England or America.

TERMS OF ADVERTISING.

Under the heading "Books Wanted," subscribers only are entitled to a free insertion of five lines for books out of print, exclusive of address (in any issue except special numbers), to an extent not exceeding 100 lines a year. If more than five lines are sent, the excess is at 10 cents per line, and amount should be enclosed. Bids for current books and such as may be easily had from the publishers, and repeated matter, as well as all advertisements from non-subscribers, must be paid for at the rate of 10 cents per line.

Under the heading "Books for Sale," the charge to subscribers and non-subscribers is 10 cents per line for each insertion. No deduction for repeated matter.

Under the heading "Situations Wanted," subscribers are entitled to one free insertion of five lines. For repeated matter and advertisements of non-subscribers the charge is 10 cents per line.

All other small advertisements will be charged at the uniform rate of 10 cents per line. Eight words may be reckoned to the line.

Parties with whom we have no accounts must pay in advance, otherwise no notice will be taken of their communications.

Parties desiring to receive answers to their advertisements through this office must either call for them or enclose postage stamps with their orders for the insertion of such advertisements. In all cases we must have the full address of advertisers as a guarantee of good faith.

Houses that are willing to deal only on a cash-on-delivery basis, will find it to their advantage to put after their firm-name the word [Cash].

BOOKS WANTED.

In answering, please state edition, condition, and price, including postage or express charges.

AM. MAG. EXCHANGE, SCHOHARIE, N. Y.
The Historical Magazine, new ser., v. 2, nos. 3, 4; v. 10, nos. 3, 4, 5, 6; v. 7, 2d ser., no. 1, 1870.
St. Nicholas, Nov., Dec., 1873; Jan., Feb. and Aug., '74; and 1890.
Cosmopolitan, March, 1886; March and Nov., '89.

BAPTIST BOOK CONCERN, LOUISVILLE, KY.
1 set Century Dictionary, s. h. or lib. binding.

JOHN BOOKSELLER, CARE Publishers' Weekly, N. Y. CITY.
\$55 will be paid for ninth Scribner ed. Britannica, 25 v., half morocco, in new condition.

THE BOWEN-MERRILL CO., INDIANAPOLIS, IND.
An American Family in Germany. J. Ross Browne.
Alonzo and Melissa.

BRENTANO'S, 5 UNION SQUARE, N. Y. [Cash.]
Heine's Prose Works, containing Florentine Nights.
Adams' Manual Historical Literature. Harper.

H. C. Adams' Outlines Political Economy.
Samuels' Birds of New England, colored plates.
Book on fluctuations of gold before Gold Board opened.
Geo. Sand's Letters, 3 v., tr. Beaufort, pub. Ward & Downey, London.

Famous Beauties of Court of Charles II.
Poor's Railroad Manual. 1891.
Tour Around My Garden.
World on Wheels, by Stratton.

BROWN, EAGER & HULL, 409 & 411 SUMMIT ST., TOLEDO, O.
Mitchell. Selections from Ancient Sculpture, portfolio.
Dodd & Mead.

C. N. CASPAR, ANTIQUARIAN BOOKS, MILWAUKEE, WIS.
Morelet, Central America. N. Y.
Gangooly, Hindoos.

Laveley, Primitive Property.
Campaign 1860, Speeches of Lincoln, Seward, etc.
Nasby, P. V., Views, Opinions and Prophecies.

THE CENTURY CO., 33 E. 17TH ST., N. Y.
The Annals of San Francisco. D. Appleton & Co., 1855.

ROBERT CLARKE & CO., CINCINNATI, O.
Jones' Traditions of North American Indians, 3 v. 1830.
Hannaford's Story of a Regiment, 6th Ohio Infantry.

W. B. CLARKE & CO., BOSTON, MASS.
Walden, by Thoreau, brown cl. Ticknor & Fields.

R. A. CUNNINGHAM, DAYTON, O.
Theodosia; or, Heroine of Faith, either v. 1 and 2 or v. 2 alone, second-hand or new.

DAMRELL & UPHAM, BOSTON, MASS.
The Country Banker, by Rae. Scribner.

M. H. DICKINSON & CO., KANSAS CITY, MO.
Report of Special Committee Appointed Feb. 28, 1879, to Investigate Alleged Abuses in the Management of Railroads Chartered by State of New York, 5 vols., pub. at Albany, 1880.

The Jew and the Gentle, Döllinger.
The Journal of Eugène de Guérin.
Voyage in Yacht Sunbeam, cheap ed.

G. DUNN & CO., 22 W. 6TH ST., ST. PAUL, MINN.
Leslie's Pop. Mo., Jan. and Feb., 1886, and March, 1888.
Festival Chimes, pub. 1863.
Bates' Hist. Pa. Volunteers, 5 v., leath.
Bell's Standard Elocutionist.

E. P. DUTTON & CO., 31 W. 23D ST., N. Y.
Heine's Book of Songs, Holt's ed.
Portraits of James Aldrich, Susan Warner, Emma Alice Browne, M. E. Clarke, Eugene Benson.
Autographs of American authors.

EATON, LYON & CO., GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.
Life of Roger Williams, by J. D. Knowles, or by Prof. Gemmell, or by Romeo Elton.
Any biography of Robert Morris.

ESTES & LAURIAT, 301 WASHINGTON ST., BOSTON, MASS.
Little Tin God on Wheels, by Robt. Grant.

S. B. FISHER, 685 STATE ST., SPRINGFIELD, MASS.
Stanley's Darkest Africa, cl.

Magazine Am. History, July, Aug., Sept., Oct., Nov., 1888; Mar., '89.
Catholic World, Sept., 1876; Feb., '79; Feb., '80; July, '83; Feb., Aug., '84; March, '88; Jan., '89.

FLEXNER & STADEKER, 330 4TH AVE., LOUISVILLE, KY.
Any of the publications of the Sydenham Society.

A. E. FOOTE, 4116 ELM AVE., PHILA., PA. [Cash.]
Durlacher, Corns, Bunions and Diseases of the Feet.
New York Agricultural Reports.
Trail, Plant Life in Canada.
Williams, Ferns of Kentucky.

FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY, JERSEY CITY, N. J.
V. 1-5 of the War of the Rebellion; a Compilation of the Official Records of the Union and Confederate Armies.

R. C. HARTRANFT, PHILA., PA.
Lopez and Wemyss ed. Plays, a complete set of 18.
Any Bibles printed in America before 1800.
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Historical oil portraits or paintings, 1776 to 1865, generals, colonels, captains, presidents, governors, famous orators or politicians, any personages connected with Am. history.
Brinley Catalogue, 4 pts. and prices.

J. A. HILL & CO., 44 E. 14TH ST., N. Y. [Cash.]
Cothele House.

THE INTERNATIONAL NEWS CO., 83 DUANE ST., N. Y.
McClulloch's Researches. 1817.

LEARY'S OLD BOOKSTORE, 9 S. 9TH ST., PHILA., PA.
Honeyman's Practice, last ed.
Pritchard's Infusoria, ed. 1861.
Fox, Eighteen Centuries of Church of England.
Hussak's Rock-Forming Minerals.
2 Reuleux Kinematics of Machinery.
Corbin's Forms, last ed.
Hahneman's Organon, old ed.
Philistinism.

Journal of Franklin Institute, Jan., 1826; July, Dec., 1874; July, 1875.

Cosmopolitan, Mar., 1887; June, Aug., 1888.
Babyhood, Nov., 1890; July, Sept., Oct., Nov., 1888.
United States Service Mag., vol. 5.
Political Science Quarterly, Mar., Sept., 1887.

LITTLE, BROWN & CO., 254 WASHINGTON ST., BOSTON, MASS.

2 copies of the Odd Volume by an Odd-Fellow. New York and Chicago, about 1846.
Cooper's Spy, Townsend ed. 1859.
Phillips, American Paper Currency.

A. C. McCLURG & CO., 117 WABASH AVE., CHICAGO, ILL.
King, Handbook to Waltham.

Clarkson, Shadow of John Wallace.
Benedict, Miss Dorothy's Charge.
Dupuy, Hidden Sin.

Duchess, Phyllis, 2 copies.
About, Story of an Honest Man.

Ashton, Modern Cressida, 2 copies.
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Busk, Roman Legends.

Borys, She Loved Him Madly.
Bradley, Patience Hathway.
Cherbuliez, Joseph Noirel's Revenge; Prosper.

Church, Open Sesame.
Daudet, Sidonie.
Dickinson, Among the Thorns.

Esman, Harry Delaware.
King, Ethel Midway's Folly.
Farjeon, London's Heart.

Feuillet, Marriage in High Life.
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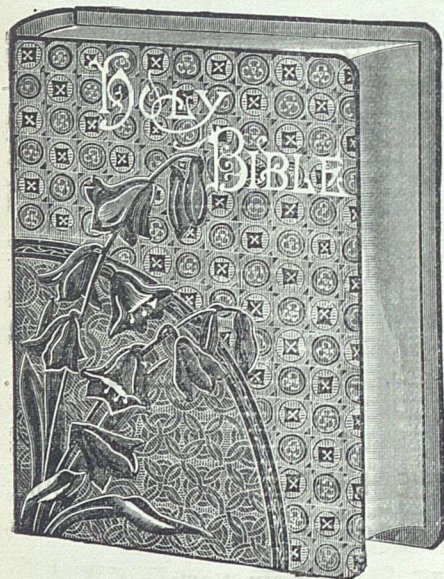
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